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Jno. W.; Green, of Campbell county, Ky., was killed in the battle of Vimy Ridge, in France. He was fighting with the Canadians.

Editor Dave Duncan, of the Meade County Messenger, wants to be senator from his district. Go to it, Dave. The more newspaper men we have in the General Assembly the more brains will be in evidence, and the Lord knows it needs brains.

A number of American destroyers manned by picked crews have crossed the Atlantic and are operating in the war zone and one of them has had a brush with a submarine, the result of which has not been made public. Rear Admiral Sims is in command. These boats prove very effective against submarines.

Mr. R. V. Kitchin, a brother of Democratic Leader Claude Kitchin, was here with the bankers this week. He is in business in Nashville and has business relations with banks all over the country. Mr. Kitchin is one of nine brothers, eight of whom are living and distinguishing themselves n various walks of life.

Mr. Logan C. Murray, one of the visiting bankers from Louisville this week, was an old Hopkinsville man. He is a brother of Gen. Eli H. Murray and former Adj. Gen. David R. Murray and John A. Murray, all well known Kentuckians. Mr. Murray while here paid his respects to a lady friend, who, he said, some forty odd years ago, declined a pressing invitation to be his wife.

At the suggestion of Governor James P. Goodrich the Indiana county commissioners have decided to discontinue all public improvement work. except that absolutely necessary, for a year. The governor pointed out in a letter that such action would assist the Council of National Defense in relieving the car shortage since discontinuance of shipments on materials would release cars for government shipments.

England has at last made a definite move for home rule in Ireland, or for the greater part of it, without delay. The Prime Minister has set forth in a letter that the government is desirous of effecting an immediate settlement, which will concede the largest possible measure of home rule that can be secured by agreement at this moment without prejudice to the undertaking by parliament of a most disputed question after the war. The government's proposals provide for the introduction of a bill for the immediate application of the home rule act to Ireland, but excluding the six counies of northeast Ulster, such exclusion to be subject to reconsideration by parliament at the end of five years; a council of Ireland to be composed of two delegations, representing the excluded area as well as the new Irish parliament; consideration of the bill after its second reading by a special conference under the chairmanship of some one commanding general confidence. As an alternative it is suggested by the premier that a convention of Irishmen of all parties be assembled for the purpose of arranging a scheme of Irish self-government.

#### Mighty Mean Man.

The meanest man in the state is the Spartanburg farmer who sharpened all ds could not sit down to rest .enville (S. C.) News.

#### MARTHA'S MEN

By DOROTHY DOUGLAS.

Martha was sitting in the same taurant on upper Broadway having luncheon when a plot registered itself in her conscious mind. It was not an in her conscious mind. It was not an I just wanted to sleep all the time, for I just wanted to sleep all the time, for one was worth remembering for future use.

It was seldom that Martha found

herself without her notebook. However, Martha soon supplied her lack by asking for a pencil from the waiter and by making use of the menu

The waiter brought in a savory crab meat concoction and set it before Martha and so delicious was its flavor that plots and the writing of plots were entirely forgotten. She ate quickly, paid the waiter hurriedly and went swiftly out of the restaurant and along Broadway.

The rather serious-looking young man who took the chair vacated by Martha was interested sufficiently in his menu card to glance at both front and back of it. On the front he saw names of dainty edibles from which he made a selection and on the back he found Martha's hurriedly written plot for a story.

"This is more than I prayed for," murmured the young man, and proceeded to read all that he could of Martha's almost illegible writing; "a story to read and a good lunch all for forty cents."

He had scarcely finished the story and decided that it wasn't bad, but it could be wonderfully improved, when a stormy-eyed girl came into the restaurant and stood beside him. Looking up, John Durant questioned with his eyes.

"May I please have the menu card you just put in your pocket?" Martha demanded. "I left it here but a mo-

ment ago." "Sit down," suggested Durant and stood up as if welcoming a friend. "I want to talk to you about the storyif it really belongs to you."

"Yes, thank you," she said in answer to his request that she join him in a cup of coffee.

"Now," Durant said, when he had Martha comfortably established behind the coffee and a small sherbet, "I written on this menu is rather well conceived I can give you far better mate rial for the ending." He proceeded to outline the story, but brought a wonderful climax into it that quite astonished Martha.

"Oh! That is heaps better," she exclaimed enthusiastically.

"Rather good," assented Durant, thinking of the eyes. "Now if you write that story as I have outlined it and send it to the Sunlight Magazine I feel reasonably sure that you will get a nice check in return. It looks to me as if that story is just in their

"It is very good of you to suggest the Sunlight. I hadn't quite hoped to land a story there. Do you know who the

-," Durant pondered "His name is a moment, "Durant. John Durant. Send it to him personally. You'll get better attention."

Martha had arisen and her hand was extended to him. "If I sell the story I should like to know my collaborator's name." she said.

"I prefer my name to remain a cret. You might be tempted to hurl me into the limelight of fame along with yourself. I will watch the Sunlight Magazine, however, and take Hotel Latham great interest in seeing the story there." He dismissed Martha with a slight inclination of the head.

Martha was torn between plaue and elation over the story. She went directly to her studio and worked the rest of the day. When the story was finished Martha reread and polished it, made an extra copy and sent it to the editor of Sunlight.

Ten days passed before Martha heard from her story. Then she received a note saying the editor wanted to speak with her about a few changes in the story, and she went to the office of the Sunlight Magazine.

John Durant arose from the editorial chair to greet her. Martha was so taken aback when she recognized the young man of the restaurant that a ruler ordered to be made a cross of

John Durant!" She felt intensely foolish after that remark.

"I knew I would meet you sooner or later," said Durant, with deliberate meaning behind his serious eyes, "That was my reason for withholding my name from you." He looked long and frankly into Martha's eyes. "And now for business," he said with a smile that she found delightful; "this story is worth two hundred dollars to me, if thrills. Perhaps its most tense mo-

changes. Are you?" "Indeed, I am," she said brightly. He went over the story with her, giving her careful detail as to the changes. When he had finished he said softly. "You know I have watched you for a couple of months in that restaurant, hoping for a meeting in some way, at some time. Now-I am

not going to be contented to watch." "Well," said Martha, "you have been so good to me already that I hardly see how I can do anything but-like

"I hope your writer's brain contains another word in place of like," laughed the stumps in his place so that his Durant. "Before long we will inaugurate a searching party—you and L"
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From Three Years' Suffering. Says Cardui Made Her Well.

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"Oh!" she exclaimed. "So you are and the "tree of cursing and shame gold and gems such as he had seen sat upon scepters and was engraved and signed on the foreheads of kings."

Dieting is the pastime of those who are physically unfit for more active recreations. It may be enjoyed indoors or out, and though it is not so vigorous as football nor so exciting as hunting wild game, yet it has many ments are at mealtime when one reaches a high pitch of excitement at sight of some thin soup and two hard crackers. One becomes in fact so excited that one is obliged to hold tight to the chair. It is particularly exciting to realize that one is likely to fly into a frenzy at any moment and eat everything in sight. The scales are almost indispensable to dieting, although, for that matter, they are almost indispensable to a fish. However, to be anything at all, a diet must have a pair of scales. It will amuse you to see that every time you are about to step on the scales you think perhaps you have lost a little weight.— Detroit Journal.

### ANNOUNCEMENT.

LUCIAN J. HARRIS as a candidate for sheriff, subject to the action of the Democratic primary

We are authorized to announce WILLIAM R. HOWELL.

of Christian county, as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for the State Senate from the District composed of Christian and Hopkins counties. Subject to the August primary.

We are authorized to announce EDWARD C. MAJOR

as a candidate for Sheriff of Christian county, subject to the action of the Democratic primary, August 4th.

We are authorized to announce H. A. ROBINSON.

candidate for the Democratic nomination for

STATE SENATOR for the Sixth Senatorial District composed of the counties of Christian and Hopkins. Primary August 4.

We are authorized to announce IRA D. SMITH

as a candidate for re-nomination to the office of County Attorny. Subject to the action of the Democratic Party in the August primary.

We are authorized to announce W. J. McGEE

as a candidate for the office of Jailer of Christian county, subject to the action of the Democratic primary August 4th.

We are authorized to announce T. S. WINFREE

as a candidate for Constable in District No. 2, subject to the action of the Democratic primary, August 4th.

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> We are authorized to announce W. A. NICHOLS

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We are authorized to announce M. V. B. RUSSELL

as a candidate for the office of Jailer of Christian county, subject to the action of the Republican primary, Au-

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